

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
SAN JOSE DIVISION

MAXIMILIAN KLEIN, et al.  
Plaintiffs,  
v.  
FACEBOOK, INC.,  
Defendant.

Case No. 20-CV-08570-LHK

**ORDER GRANTING MOTIONS TO  
RELATE; CONSOLIDATING CASES;  
SETTING CASE SCHEDULE;  
DENYING STIPULATION AND  
MOTIONS AS MOOT**

Re: Dkt. Nos. 19, 34, 38, 39, 41, 45, 46

The Court GRANTS: (1) Vickie Sherman, Lezah Neville-Marrs, Katherine Loopers, and Jarred Johnson's motion to relate *Sherman v. Facebook, Inc.*, No. 20-CV-08721-JSW (N.D. Cal. filed Dec. 9, 2020), to the above captioned case, ECF No. 19; (2) Plaintiffs' motion to relate *Kupcho v. Facebook, Inc.*, No. 20-CV-08815-JSW (N.D. Cal. filed Dec. 11, 2020); *Dames et al. v. Facebook, Inc.*, No. 20-cv-08817-HSG (N.D. Cal. filed Dec. 11, 2020); and *Steinberg v. Facebook, Inc.*, 20-CV-09130-VC (N.D. Cal. filed Dec. 17, 2020) to the above captioned case, ECF No. 34; (3) Jessica L. Layser's motion to relate *Layser v. Facebook, Inc.*, No. 21-CV-00337-VC (N.D. Cal. filed Jan. 13, 2021) to the above captioned case, ECF No. 41; and (4) Facebook's

1 motion to relate *Rosenman v. Facebook, Inc.*, No. 21-CV-00336-VC (N.D. Cal. filed Feb. 5, 2021)  
 2 to the above captioned case, ECF No. 46. The Court also concludes that *Affilious, Inc. et al. v.*  
 3 *Facebook, Inc.*, No. 20-CV-09217-EMC (N.D. Cal. filed Dec. 18, 2020) is related to the above-  
 4 captioned case pursuant to Civil Local Rule 3-12(b).

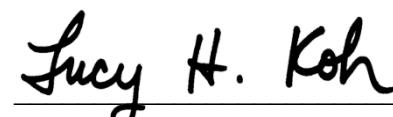
5 The Court consolidates all of these class action cases. The Court sets the following  
 6 deadlines in these consolidated cases:  
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Filing of Motions for Appointment of Interim Lead Plaintiffs' Counsel	Motions: March 5, 2021 Oppositions, if any: March 10, 2021 Hearing: March 18, 2021 at 1:30 p.m.
Initial Case Management Conference. The parties shall file a joint case management statement on March 31, 2021.	April 7, 2021 at 2 p.m.
Filing of Consolidated Class Action Complaint	April 22, 2021
Filing of Response, likely a Motion to Dismiss	Motion to Dismiss: May 20, 2021 Opposition: June 17, 2021 Reply: July 1, 2021 Hearing: July 15, 2021 at 1:30 p.m.

14 In the instant case, the Court denies as moot the parties' stipulation to extend the answer  
 15 deadline, ECF No. 45; Facebook's motion to stay, ECF No. 38; and Facebook's motion to shorten  
 16 time, ECF No. 39.  
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18 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

19 Dated: February 9, 2021

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 21 LUCY H. KOH  
 22 United States District Judge